

Manufactured Success: The Model Minority Myth

Abstract

This paper examines the systemic construction of the “model minority” myth through U.S. immigration policy and educational attainment data. By curating elites from largely uneducated societies, America manufactured a racial hierarchy that elevates Asians above Blacks. The publication integrates visual diagrams, literacy statistics, and negative-reinforcement loops to demonstrate how underemployment among Black graduates discourages advanced education, reinforcing white supremacist narratives. Multimodal dissemination includes podcasts and interactive diagrams.

Keywords

Model Minority Myth; Immigration Policy; Educational Attainment; Racial Hierarchy; Negative Reinforcement Loop; Sovereign Diagnostics

1. Immigration Timeline

- 1882 Exclusion Act → 1965 Immigration Act → 1990s H-1B visas → Today
- Funnel: Broad populations → Selected elites → U.S. “Model Minority”

2. Education Context

- Literacy rates: China (20% in 1950 → 97% in 2020), India (18% in 1950 → 77% in 2020).
- Curated elites presented as “manufactured success.”

3. Comparative Attainment

- College attainment: China ≈ 30%, India ≈ 12%, U.S. average ≈ 40%.
- African Americans ≈ 26%, higher than India and close to China.
- Underemployment disproportionately affects Black graduates.

4. Negative Reinforcement Barrier

Cycle:

1. Rising attainment → Black graduates enter the labor market.
2. Underemployment → Degrees not rewarded with aligned jobs.
3. Community perception → Education seen as less rewarding.
4. Enrollment declines → Attainment stagnates or falls.
5. Narrative weaponized → White supremacy points to “lower attainment.”

This cycle acts as a systemic barrier: underemployment discourages pursuit of advanced education, reinforcing the manufactured white supremacist narrative and sustaining racial hierarchy.

5. Multimodal Dissemination

- Podcast 1: Manufactured Success — Copilot podcast link:
<https://copilot.microsoft.com/shares/podcasts/DJW7SMDjvWKsHK3LJ4n57>
- Podcast 2: Negative Reinforcement Barrier — Copilot podcast link:
<https://copilot.microsoft.com/shares/podcasts/Ruk1boz7oTQ2iVGjHbn37>
- Interactive diagrams embedded in Bibebibebibe Magazine.

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